## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE the Application of

Rinze BENEDICTUS et al.

Group Art Unit:

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Serial No.: 10/642,518

Examiner:

J. Morillo

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For: BALANCED Al-Cu-Mg-Si ALLOY PRODUCT

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 25, 2005, the period for response being extended by the concurrently filed petition and fee therefor, please amend the above-identified application as follows: